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FIREMEN STRUGGLE—Firemen fight heavy smoke and persistent flames at the Bay Marina on Washington Road in Hancock County Friday night where five fire departments responded to the alarm. An explosion which rocked the neighborhood alerted Harbor Master G. B. Geiger who fought the flames with fire extinguishers until help arrived. Eight boats with an estimated value in excess of \$100,000 were destroyed as well as a portion of the marina.

Up to \$18 per month

Household costs of area wastewater plan revealed

By LESLIE WILLIAMS
The sewerage bill of an average resident in Bay St. Louis and Waveland will increase approximately \$13 per month if the \$100 million Coast-Wide

Wastewater Management Plan is adopted by the municipalities. The unincorporated areas of Hancock County would face an \$18 monthly fee if the plan is adopted.

Representatives of Mississippi Air and Water Pollution Control Commission, Federal Environmental Protection Agency and a financial consulting firm revealed the cost figures at a public hearing on the plan Thursday at the Hancock County Library in Bay St. Louis.

The average cost for a sewerage bill in Waveland is \$6.75.

In Bay St. Louis, a sewerage bill is \$1.50 or 50 percent of a residents water bill, whichever is greater.

Construction of these facilities have been ordered to make polluted waters along the coast meet federal water quality standards.

"The Gulf Coast and some waterways WASTEWATER-Page 2A

Local officials

wary of area

wastewater plan

By LESLIE WILLIAMS
Magnitude of the \$100 million Gulf Coast Area-Wide Wastewater Management Plan discussed at Bay St. Louis Library Wednesday left Hancock County officials suspicious of the plan and discontent with proposed county representation on a governing commission.

Hancock County Beat Five Supervisor James Travira represents the county in preparation stages of the plan, with Mayor John Longo and Ward Four Councilman Fred Wagner representing Waveland and Bay St. Louis, respectively.

Representatives of the Mississippi Air and Water Pollution Control Commission, Environmental Protection Agency and financial consultants, were on hand to present and discuss the plan with area residents and officials.

"There are four major advantages to the regional wastewater plan," officials explained.

—The plan liberates governing entities' borrowing power.

—Setting up of a regional wastewater commission will be the most efficient method of solving the water pollution

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NASA experts investigate Space Shuttle explosion

By RICH ADAMS
An investigative board composed of National Aeronautics and Space Administration officials is meeting at Hancock County's National Space Technology Laboratories to determine cause of an explosion during test firing of a Space Shuttle engine Dec. 27.

According to a NSTL official, the

board is composed of rocket engine experts, the majority from Marshall Space Flight Center in Huntsville, Ala. The spokesman said, the inquiry board convened Dec. 28 and is still in session, compiling information in an attempt to pinpoint cause of the explosion.

According to the NSTL spokesman,

the main engine failed at 12:30 p.m. Dec. 27, after an oxidizer valve exploded.

He said damage to the engine was extensive, but damage to the test firing stand was minimal.

The NSTL official said all testing of Space Shuttle engines has been delayed until the board determines the cause of the mishap.

He said the explosion occurred 255 seconds into a scheduled 520 second test fire of the engine.

The official said the engine was running at 100 percent rated power load.

"The board of investigation must determine the cause of the explosion. An inquiry into the determination of the impact on the program has caused all testing to be delayed. An assessment of the future of the first scheduled manned flight is being made," he added.

The NSTL official said this kind of difficulty is the reason extensive testing and development of new systems is conducted.

"That's what we're all about. We built a test engine for research and development. This research is to determine minor or major problems prior to sending projects to the Cape for launching," the official said.

"Problems are expected in research and development. What we're doing here is developing a new engine. The rocket must be determined safe before we launch it," he added.

The spokesman declined to say when testing on the shuttle engine may resume.

The explosion will probably delay the September maiden orbital flight of the craft.

Astronauts John Young and Robert Crippen are selected to pilot the Space Shuttle's initial flight.

Navy laboratory to scrutinize earth's oceans

By LESLIE WILLIAMS
A groundbreaking ceremony Wednesday marked the upcoming construction of a \$400,000 Satellite Imagery Laboratory at NSTL in Hancock County.

The Naval Ocean Research Development Activity (NORDA) Laboratory will be an extension of the existing NORDA facility at NSTL, which presently employs more than 1,280 workers.

The new Satellite Imagery Laboratory, which will be completed around June, will allow the Navy to perform research and development in satellite remote sensing.

Remote sensing research will provide computerized models of the ocean environment.

These models, in a matter of hours, can be used to forecast ocean conditions anywhere in the world.

Dr. David Mann, assistant secretary of the Navy for research, engineering and systems was the principal speaker at the groundbreaking.

"For nearly 150 years, the U.S. Navy has conducted an active program in ocean science and applied oceanography," said Mann.

"The knowledge thus gained has had profound impact on naval operations, and on the design of undersea weapons and sensor systems," continued Mann.

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NORDA—Dr. David Mann, right, assistant secretary of the Navy for research, engineering and systems, shovels the first clump of dirt to mark the upcoming construction of a \$400,000 Satellite Imagery Laboratory at NSTL in Hancock County Wednesday. Also participating is Captain Charles G. Darrell, left, NORDA Commanding Officer. (Staff photo—Leslie Williams)

City school board post election set

By ELLIS CUEVAS
A special election will be held March 3 to fill the unexpired term of Mrs. Jean Townsend, who resigned last year from the Bay St. Louis Municipal School Board.

Dr. J.B. Levens was appointed on an interim basis, representing that area of the district outside the city limits of Bay St. Louis.

J.D. McCullouch, superintendent of education for the system, said the

TRUSTEE ELECTION-Page 4A

United Way over the top!

By ELLIS CUEVAS
The Hancock County United Way campaign has topped its current drive goal of \$35,000 by some \$1,300.

United Way Executive Director Conrad Mauffray reported receipt of a total of \$36,298 through last week.

A big help in going over the goal, according to campaign manager Wayne Ducomb, was pledges made to the Hancock drive by the Combined

Federal Campaign on the Coast and the Combined Agency Campaign at NSTL.

"But the bulk of our success should be attributed to the hard work of the volunteers in Hancock County. It was a very fine group of people who got out and beat the bushes and helped reach more people who made contributions to the United Way than ever before in its history," Ducomb said.

The chairman continued, "Without

the contributions and pledges by the people, the campaign would not have been a success. The improving economic conditions in Hancock County UNITED WAY-Page 4A

News Briefs

LOUIE AWARDS BANQUET

The Bay St. Louis Little Theatre will host its annual Louie Awards Banquet Friday at Virginia Hall, Christ Episcopal Church. Tickets are available at Chapman's Business Service or call 467-4747 after 5 p.m. Reservations deadline is noon Friday. The awards ceremony will follow an 8 p.m. dinner preceded by a 7 p.m. cocktail hour.

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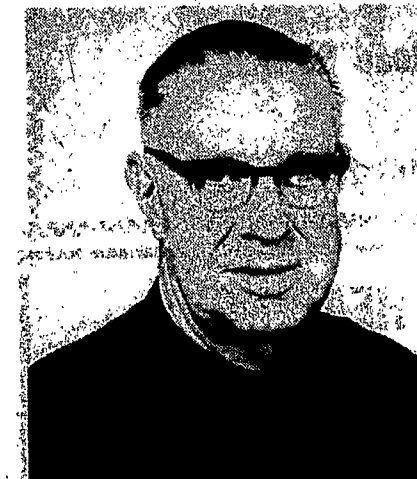
The bay-Waveland Girl Scout leaders will hold their monthly meeting at 9:30 a.m. Monday at the Bay St. Louis Library. The chairman for the 1979 cookie drive will be present and all leaders, assistant leaders of the troops are urged to attend. The cookie campaign will start Friday. To place orders call Mrs. Diane Ladner 467-4424.

CLUB TO MEET

The monthly meeting of the Mississippi Gulf Coast Advertising Club is to be at Western Sizzlin Steak House on Courthouse Road in Gulfport at noon Monday. Officers and directors will meet at 11 a.m. Program will be presented by Ralph Marino, executive vice president of Peter Mayer and Associates, Inc. of New Orleans, advertising agency for Barn's Root Beer of Biloxi.

SPECIAL SPEAKERS

The Concerned Citizens will hear special guest speakers from The Mississippi Hunger Coalition at 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Valena C. Jones Center. Rich Abraham, director for the Coalition said the Food Stamp program will be discussed with special emphasis on "people's rights." Geraldine Lang, spokesman for the Concerned Citizens requests all interested citizens to attend the discussion.



BROTHER ALBAN TUCKER

Brother Alban, SSC dietician, buried Saturday

Brother Alban Tucker, a Brother of the Sacred Heart and a long-time faculty member at St. Stanislaus High School in Bay St. Louis, died on Thursday, Jan. 4, 1979, at the age of 65. He had been at St. Stanislaus for 25 years as dietician for the school.

Brother Alban, a native of Bayou Goula, La., entered the Brothers of the Sacred Heart on April 11, 1928, from St. Vincent's Academy in Baton Rouge, La.

In addition to St. Stanislaus he has been stationed at schools in New Jersey, New York, Oklahoma and Alabama.

Survivors include a brother, A. A. Tucker and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Mabel Tucker, both of Baton Rouge, La.

His wake was Friday and Saturday at St. Stanislaus Chapel.

The funeral Mass was Saturday in the Chapel with burial in the Brothers Cemetery in Bay St. Louis.

Officials Wary...

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problem - administration is better credit; credit is better; and flexible use of facilities is likely.

Individual governing entities won't have to worry with operations of the wastewater system.

Water quality is improved. Representatives of the plan also propose to have a tri-county authority supervise the system.

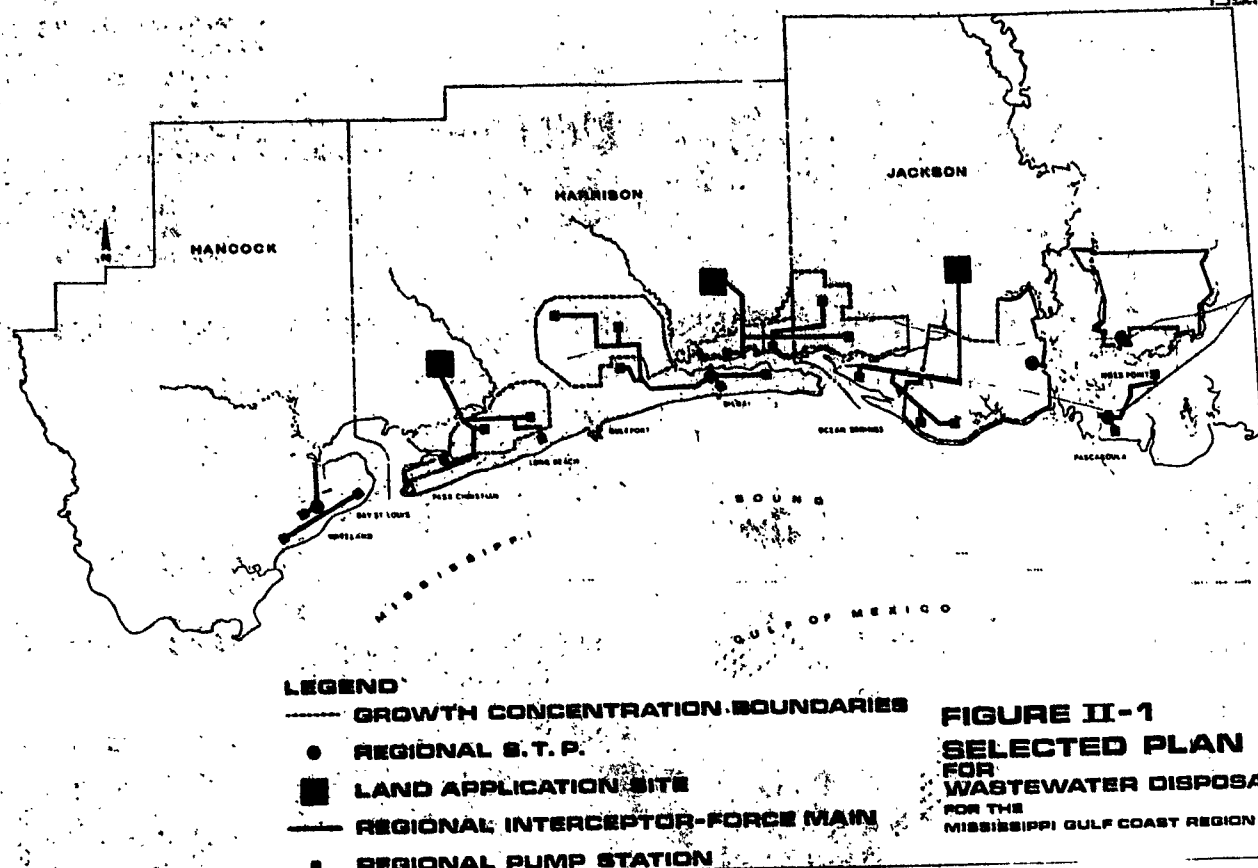
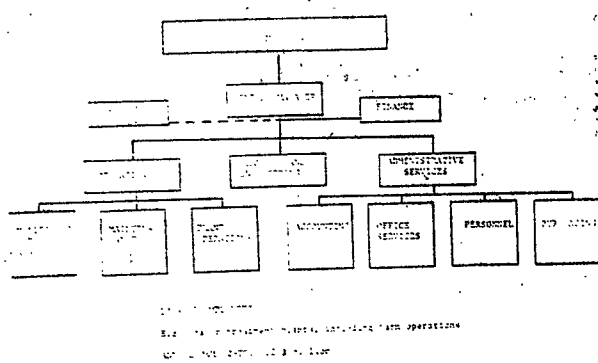
The proposed regional wastewater treatment commission would consist of one representative from Hancock County, two from Jackson, and four from Harrison County.

"I don't like the 1,42 representation," said Travira.

"If the commission is constituted with this kind of representation, Harrison County could run the whole show," he emphasized, "no matter how Hancock and Jackson Counties voted." Travira said he will attend upcoming meetings on the plan to become more informed.

The Mississippi Air and Water Pollution Control Commission will conduct another public hearing on the proposal at the Biloxi Community Center at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Longo said he is also strongly against the ratio of representation on the regional commission, "because too much power is given to Harrison County."



Wastewater...

such as Edwards and Watts Bayou are health hazards—they are polluted with fecal coliforms," said Caleb Dana, a staff engineer on the project for the Pollution Commission.

Dana said there is also a danger to the biological systems in those waters. "Five milligrams per liter of oxygen is needed to sustain the biotic system in area waters," explained Dana, "and studies have shown oxygen levels as low as 1 milligram and as high as 6 milligrams per liter along the coast."

A representative from the Sierra Club, an environmental organization, praised the representatives of the wastewater plan saying, "I praise the Mississippi Air and Water Pollution Commission and consultants who have brought this problem of pollution to the people."

The tri-county plan sponsored by the Pollution Commission calls for location of mechanical treatment plants in the following areas: Bay St. Louis, Waveland, Gulfport-Biloxi, Pascagoula-Moss Point, Escatawpa, and Gautier.

"The plan calls for three land disposal sites on which wastes will be pumped

from Pass Christian and Long Beach; d'Iberville, St. Martin, Gulf Hills and North Biloxi; and Ocean Springs.

The regional system plants, farm sites and interceptor lines under the plan are estimated at \$5.4 million.

Also under the plan, \$20.7 million will be allocated to local districts to upgrade collection systems within their boundaries.

The collection systems will remain under the jurisdiction of the municipalities and utility districts. At least 75 percent of the \$5.4 million would be paid by the federal government through the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

The construction cost estimate for regional treatment facilities in Hancock County, excluding Diamondhead and Pearlinton, is \$3.1 million, Dana said.

"Only Bay-St. Louis and Waveland are included in the regional district," said Dana.

Both municipalities will receive 75 percent of funds for their facilities from the Environmental Protection Agency. Construction costs of non-regional district facilities in the county are

estimated at \$4.2 million for treatment plants and collection systems, said Dana.

There are currently 16 waste treatment facilities in Hancock County, public and privately owned.

If the wastewater plan is adopted, there will be one treatment facility at Jordan River Shores, four at Diamondhead, and one in Pearlinton. Waveland's treatment facility would also provide services to Bay St. Louis and Clermont Harbor.

Cost for the regional wastewater treatment system for the Bay St. Louis-Waveland-Clermont Area is estimated at a capital cost of \$34,263 for treatment facilities and \$2,364,700 for interceptors; with an annual operation and maintenance cost estimate of \$106,705 for treatment and \$14,880 for interceptors.

At Diamondhead, \$2,335,480 is estimated for capital treatment costs and \$207,934 for annual treatment costs. Jordan River Shores capital treatment cost is estimated at \$120,968. Annual cost for treatment is estimated at \$28,600.

Bill Mabry killed in air crash

William B. Mabry of Bay St. Louis and Starkville, millionaire businessman who was a grand duke in Our Lady of the Gulf Carnival Association's Mardi Gras celebration last year, died in the crash of his private plane in Madison County late Friday.

Mabry was recently involved in the development of the now defunct McKee Door Company at Stennis Industrial Park in Hancock County.

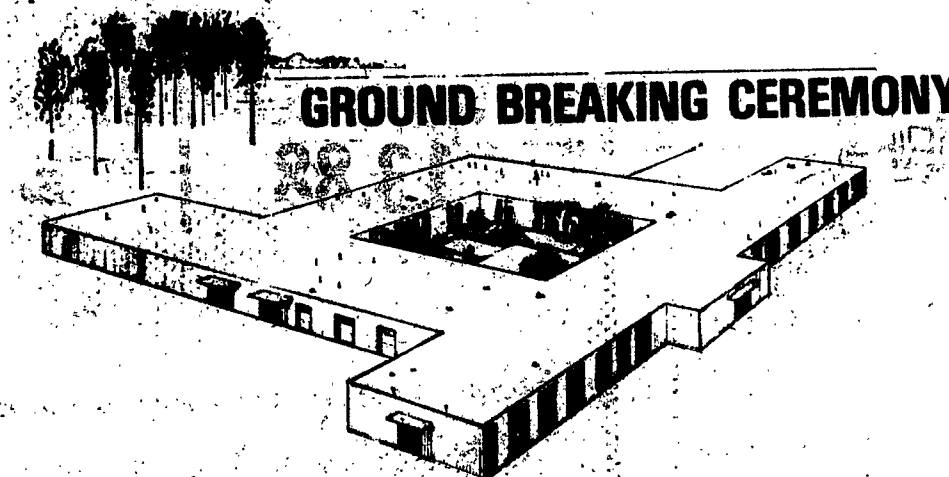
He was an experienced stunt pilot, and performed at last year's Air, Sea and Land Show at Diamondhead.

An air traffic controller at Jackson Municipal Airport who had directed Mabry's takeoff from Bruce Campbell Airport in south Madison County in a twin-engine Cessna 310, said the plane was completely demolished.

The crash site was near the southern tip of Ross Barnett Reservoir adjacent to US-51, according to George Durant, acting chief traffic controller in Jackson.

"Weather conditions were pretty bad," Durant added, with rain and a cloud ceiling of about 300 feet.

The Campbell Airport is under coverage of Jackson Municipal Airport, Durant noted.



Groundbreaking...

The construction contract of the new wing of the NORDA oceanographic facility has been awarded on a low bid basis to J. O. Collins Company of Biloxi.

A unique feature of the new laboratory will be a small laser experimental laboratory designed to determine if those high intensity light beams can be applied to making measurements beneath the surface of the ocean from aircraft.

NORDA's laboratory will also have a heliostat or motorized hatch in the roof that can be opened to let in the sun's rays or send a laser beam into the atmosphere for testing purposes.

Mann said, "The 3,000 square-foot Satellite Imagery Laboratory is the first step in NORDA's long range building program that is eventually expected to add 100,000 square feet to NORDA's facilities by mid 1980."

He pointed out that recent research

has revealed the ocean is quite complex and very similar to the atmosphere.

"The oceanic weather," explained Mann, "consists of highs, lows, fronts and jets, which move and change rapidly compared with general ocean features."

Mann emphasized he is proud of the progress of the Naval Oceanographic Office at the NSTL site.

NASA-NSTL Manager Jerry Hlass said he was also proud of the future facility.

"There are over 3,200 people located at NSTL, we like that-it gives us more stability. I'm glad NORDA's here," remarked Hlass.

Court Docket....

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The complete list of cases for the January term, as reported Friday by Circuit Court Clerk Henry Odis, includes the following civil actions listed by cause number, plaintiff, defendant, plaintiff's attorney, defendant's attorney, and a listing of garnishments in those instances.

HANCOCK COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT, CIVIL CASES, JANUARY TERM, 1979.

5773, 5819, Murphy Oil Corporation vs. James Drummond; James E. Blaine, Garnishment.

6092, Medical Credit Service, Inc. vs. Stacy Herrington & Etux, William A. Pate, Garnishment.

6298, Lauren R. Moran vs. J.B. Montgomery, Jos. H. Benvenuti, Garnishment.

6781, Ronnie Carver vs. Michael Smith, J.P. Compretta, Garnishment.

6834, Public Finance Corp. vs. Rita Mitchell, formerly Nell, Bruce Cornell, Garnishment.

6853, Allstate Ins. Co., ETAL, vs. Melvin Mitchell, William N. Patterson, Gerald C. Gex.

6859, Firstmark Fin. Corp. of Ms. vs. Gerald Bliveny & Associates, B.W. Curry, III, Gaston H. Hewes, Jr.

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BAY ST. LOUIS CITY HALL

Public hearings will be held on Tuesday, January 16, 1979 at 6:00 p.m. and Monday, January 22, 1979 at 5:00 p.m. for the Community Development Small Cities Program for Bay St. Louis.

The City has selected for its 1979 project the installation of adequate sewer and water facilities in the 500 blocks of deMontluzin Ave., State St., St. John St. and Easterbrook St.

Further details of the project will be provided at the above mentioned public hearings. Application deadline is January 29, 1979.

All interested agencies and citizens should attend said hearings.

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By S. Grady Thigpen

When the Pearl was a busy river

While now Pearl River is but little used for commerce and industry, for many years the Pearl provided the only means of ingress and egress to a big section of south Mississippi and southeast Louisiana.

Passenger boats as well as freight carriers plied up and down the river for many years.

There was daily passenger, freight and mail services up to Gainesville by way of Napoleon, Logtown and Pearlton from about 1840 to as late as the 1920's, well within my memory.

Traffic on Pearl River grew from a trickle in the early days to big enough volume that the U.S. Army engineers kept the stream open for navigation from an early date - about 1840 up to 1916 when traffic fell off to such an extent it was no longer feasible to keep the river open.

Several steamboat owners on Pearl River, Bill Whitfield, S. R. Poitevent and Will Slaydon among them, kept a stock of the class of merchandise on their boats that people along the river wanted. They heralded their arrival at the different landings by blowing signals on their whistles.

Mr. Henry Burks, born about 1870, told of how the people would meet these boats to buy their goods and to sell their products including wool, hides of different kinds, cotton, beeswax and other items of produce and cattle for the New Orleans market.

Julius Stockstill, an old time river man, remembered seeing sunken flat boats or, as he called them, flat beds, that had been sunk in Holmes Bayou a few miles west of Poyune.

Holmes Bayou is where the main water of the Pearl River flows across Honey Island from East Pearl River to West Pearl.

Holmes Bayou is winding and treacherous. There were many wrecks there. Julius told me "I can show you some of these old wrecks in Holmes Bayou now."

His father, a river man all his life, used to tell of a big shipment of cotton from up river, Monticello he thought, that wrecked in Holmes Bayou.

Hundreds of bales of cotton floated down the river. All the cotton, according to Julius, was recovered and carried on to market by another boat.

The biggest boat ever to operate on the river "The City of Demopolis" was sunk in Holmes Bayou. It belonged to Will Slaydon, an old time merchant and trader.

Sam Russ, former sheriff of Pearl River County, grew up in Pearlton. He remembered seeing cotton boats from up river with as many as 500 bales come through Pearlton with whistles blowing when he was a boy.

Over a period of years countless logs were floated down Pearl River to the sawmills at Gainesville, Logtown and Pearlton in Mississippi and to Pearl River Station in Louisiana.

Such was the volume of business, mostly from the sawmills, that Gainesville one time had a population of 1,700. Logtown about 2,500 and Pearlton at the height of the activity about 3,000 people.

For many years there were two good sized sawmills at Logtown and what was said to be at the time the biggest sawmill in the world at Pearlton.

I have an old clipping, that I do not know the date of which named Biloxi, Pearlton and Gainesville as the three principal towns in the south part of Mississippi.

Not only were logs, lumber, piling and other products floated down the river but also naval stores - turpentine, rosin and tar.

For many years before the railway came through in 1884 the Bailey Naval Stores operated a turpentine business a few miles northwest of where Poyune now is and shipped their products down river in rafts pretty much as logs were shipped.

I have not been able to find out the date, but Mrs. Dale Courtney, granddaughter of Bailey, who lives on his old place, knows that he bought a steamboat called the "Marblehead" and hauled much of

his product to market on his own boat.

Jim Bailey hauled his product from the still three miles to the river in ox wagons.

When the railway came through in 1884, the railway company built a switch in what is now Poyune for the use of the Bailey Turpentine business. That is why the first name of the railway station in Poyune was called Bailey Switch.

It is generally well known how logs were rafted down the river but I have never heard or seen a description of how turpentine was shipped in

rafts until Julius Stockstill told me how it was done.

There was always a good market for square timbers back in the old days. Square timbers 10" x 10" on up to 14" x 14" and from around 30 feet up to 100 feet in length and even more were hewn by the use of broad axes.

Holes would be bored just back from the ends of the square timbers and chains would be used to tie them together into what Julius called an A-frame.

All turpentine back then was shipped in wood barrels made by coopers on the job. It seems that turpentine is a

little lighter in weight than water, so, of course, the wood barrels filled with turpentine would float when placed in the river.

The raft formed by the A-frame would be connected together with space enough to hold about 100 barrels of turpentine.

The point of the A-frame would be placed downstream. As many as 700 or 800 barrels would be sent down river in one big shipment.

On the point of the front of each of the A-frames would be placed an oar blade with a man to guide it to keep the raft from running into the river

bank or the curves in the river and from running into other rafts.

Also a man with an oar blade would be placed on the rear of the raft.

When ready to start the shipment downstream the rafts would be spaced about 20 minutes apart to prevent them from running into one another.

The turpentine would be stored on the river bank in advance to await a propitious time for leaving. There needed to be enough water in the river but not too much.

It would take anywhere from three to eight days for a train of rafts to go from

Walkah Bluff to tide water where ships for transport to destination awaited.

Along about 4 p.m. in the evening the rafts would be steered in next to the river bank and swing lines would be fastened, one end to the raft and the other to a tree on the bank to keep them secured until daylight next morning.

When delivered the square timbers brought good prices as did the naval stores.

Those manning the rafts would eat and sleep on the riverbank. Julius said that if the weather was good they would get along fine but in

many times slept on the ground when it was wet and his bedding wet.

Most of the traffic on the river was in cool or cold weather. He would build two fires close together and sleep between them with a chunk for a pillow.

When asked how he could sleep under such conditions he said, "I would be so tired I could sleep anywhere."

For more than 100 years men up and down the river cut and rafted logs, cutting them in summer and placing them at landings to await the higher water that usually came in late fall and winter.

Correction

A report from the University of Mississippi carried in last Sunday's Echo on a recent continuing education conference for optometrists in Oxford listed Dr. Ronald C. Mazingo of Waveland as an 'optometric student.' Dr. Mazingo is in fact a graduate optometrist practicing in Waveland in association with Dr. Thomas Murphree at 110 Auderer Blvd. adjacent to Our Shopping Center. The Echo regrets reprinting the error.

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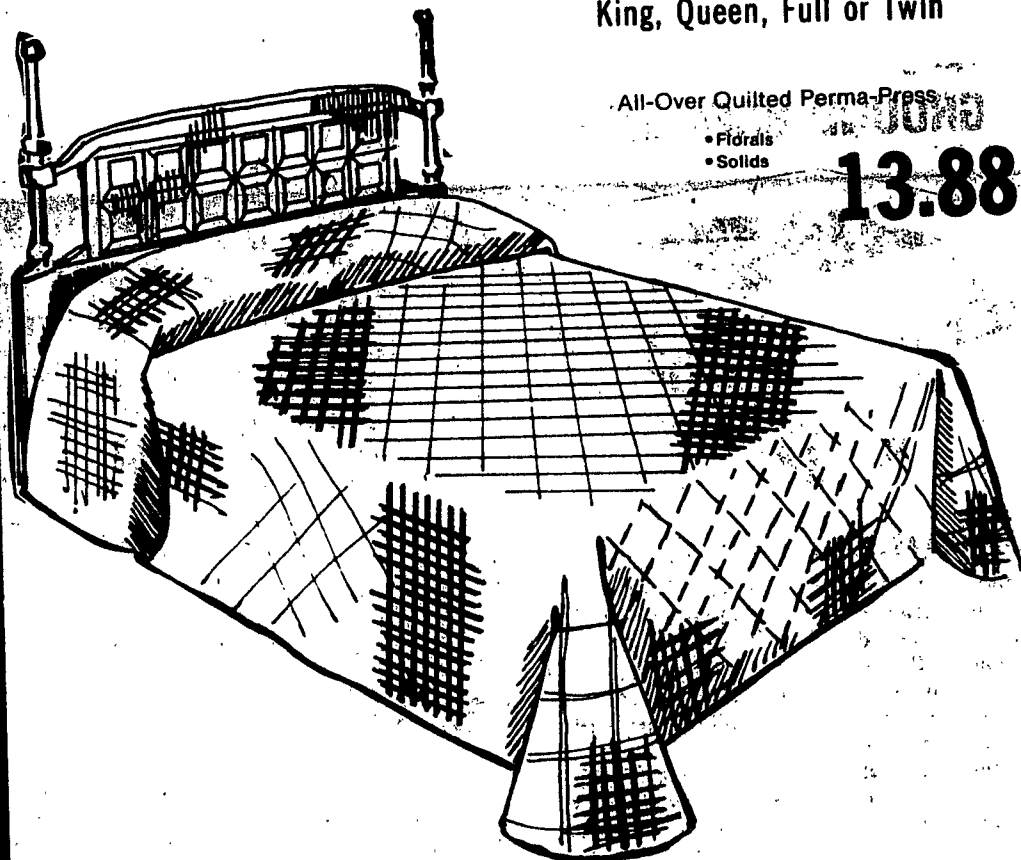
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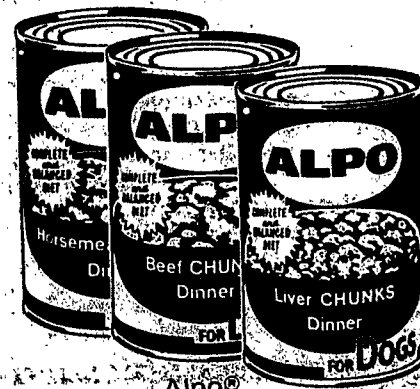
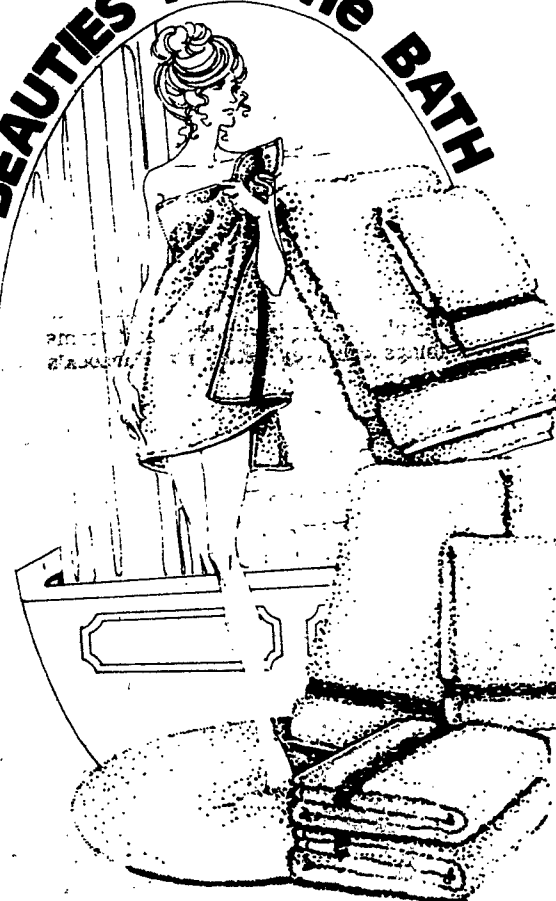
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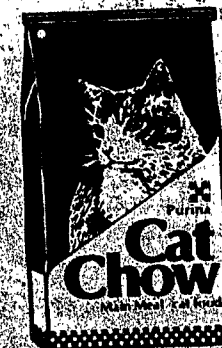
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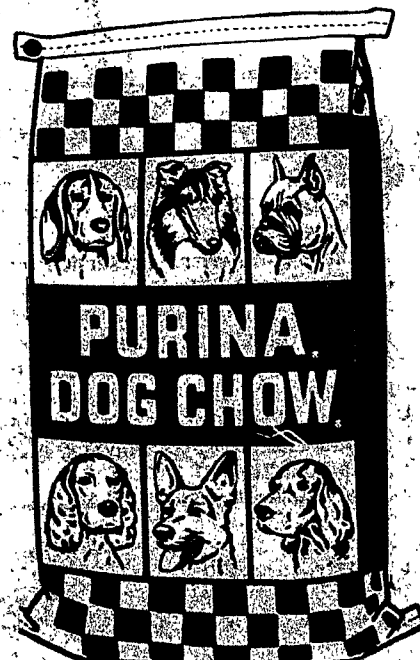
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METHOD OF ESCAPE—Hancock County Sheriff Sylvan Ladner points to the gap of missing bars in the Hancock County Jail through which two inmates escaped Friday morning. The prisoners cut through the bars with a hacksaw and slid down pipes from the second story cell. The two escapees were apprehended shortly after their escape by Hancock County Chief Deputy Ronnie Peterson. (Staff photo-Rich Adams)

Hancock escapees' freedom short-lived

By RICH ADAMS

Two prisoners who escaped from the Hancock County Jail early Friday morning were apprehended by Hancock County law enforcement officials on the Pass Christian side of the US-90 automobile bridge shortly after their escape.

According to Hancock County Sheriff Sylvan J. Ladner Jr., Garrett Allen Ford and Jerry Cole (Jimmy) Stripling sawed through two bars of a second story cell and slid down pipes to flee the jail.

Ford is awaiting sentencing for armed robbery in Waveland, and is serving concurrent one-year jail terms for armed robbery and car theft in Harrison County.

Stripling is an escapee from a Jackson, Mich., prison. He has served 10 years for two charges of breaking and entering in Michigan.

The cell was the scene of an earlier jailbreak attempt in December when it was discovered three bars had been sawed through.

The two bars removed in Friday's escape had been welded back in place after the earlier jailbreak attempt.

The two escapees attempted to hotwire a car owned by a local businessman, but were unsuccessful in their efforts, Ladner said.

The sheriff said Bay St. Louis and Waveland Police Departments were notified of the escape at 5:30 a.m. Friday and aided in a manhunt for the two escapees.

Ladner's Chief Deputy Ronnie Peterson apprehended the two escapees on the Pass Christian side of

the US-90 automobile bridge, where he met no resistance from the two, the sheriff reported.

Peterson was assisted in returning the two prisoners to the jail by other Hancock County Deputies as well as Bay St. Louis and Waveland policemen.

Ladner said manpower at the county jail is not sufficient to handle the overcrowding of the facility, and added officials at Parchman are not removing prisoners fast enough to relieve the situation.

"Every city and county in the state is a bombshell," Ladner said Friday.

"The correctional center has removed six prisoners to Parchman in the past two years," he continued.

"Local civil offenders are being imprisoned with felons. We have no facilities to separate felons from lesser offenders," he added.

"Parchman could take the prisoners and put them in tents with 24-hour guards...they have better facilities and stronger manpower," he said.

Ladner said no prisoners are being removed from his jail to Parchman because of a ruling handed down by Federal District Court Judge William Keedy, who condemned cells and closed camps at Parchman.

"The state correctional officials should get these prisoners where they belong. The prisoners cannot be sent to Parchman until they have luxurious living quarters. Every city and county is bogged down with criminals awaiting transfer to Parchman," Ladner explained.

"These prisoners are threatening every county," he added.



JAWS OF LIFE DONATION—Hancock County Civil Defense Director Robert Boudin, left, accepts a \$563 check for the 'Jaws of Life' drive from members of the Young Homemakers of America. Presenting the donation are, from left, Elaine Crutis; YHA Treasurer Wanda Foushanon; and Homemakers President Corliss Persley. The drive to purchase three hydraulic 'Jaws of Life' emergency rescue tools now stands at \$5,374, a spokesman for the Hancock County Fireman Association said. "Anyone interested in donating to the drive in memory or in honor of someone may do so by mailing a donation to 'Jaws of Life,' P.O. Box 1325, Bay St. Louis. Some \$3,025 is still needed to equip rescue units with this special emergency tool used to rescue persons who are in any way accidentally trapped," the spokesman said. (Staff photo-Rich Adams)

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No '79 city school bond issue, McCullouch says

By RICH ADAMS

Bay St. Louis Municipal Separate School Superintendent J.D. McCullouch said 1979 will bring an improved curriculum at the senior high school and continued renovation of the system's buildings.

He emphasized no bond issue will be requested this year by the city school board.

He said efforts will continue to maintain the system's present AA rating from State and Southern Association of Colleges and Schools without any deficiencies.

"The School Board hopes to continue the renovation programs which are under way and construct new facilities such as added classrooms as resources become available," McCullouch said.

"We are indeed proud of our low long-term and short-term bonded indebtedness of \$892,660. We have a potential funding of \$4,350,000, based on 15 percent of our total assessment which is \$29 million," he added.

"He said no plans are presently under way to place a bond issue before voters in 1979.

"We have no plans at present to ask for a bond issue. We have set priorities and will renovate as resources become available," McCullouch said.

At an Oct. 10 school board meeting, McCullouch outlined plans for a new elementary school between Waveland and North Bay Elementaries.

He discussed possibilities of a bond issue with the Board, but never did say the school system will ask for a bond issue.

At that meeting he also listed priorities for long-range construction and renovation at existing schools, listing long-awaited replacement of trailers being used as classrooms at North Bay Elementary first on his list of priorities.

McCullouch said many accomplishments have been achieved in 1978 which have benefited the school system.

He said the most significant improvement in the system is improvement of the special education program.

"We have added a Title I instructional program supervisor, special education program supervisor, a speech pathologist, two part-time tutors, and two learning disability instructors to our special education program," McCullouch said.

The additions came about partially to conform to Public Law 94-142, which calls for increased learning disability programs in Mississippi schools.

Other additions and changes in 1978 include a new athletic field at Waveland Elementary; renovated and installed new heaters, renovated the lunchroom and restrooms, and installed security lights at North Bay Elementary; improved the security system at the junior high school, S. J. Ingram building, and senior high gymnasium.

The Bay Booster Club reworked the baseball field and is building a field house at Tiger Stadium.

A new cafeteria constructed at the junior high school is now in operation, having opened last Wednesday, and a new school bus yard on property donated by the City of Bay St. Louis to the school system.



SUPT. J.D. McCULLOUCH

Nine-digit zip code years away-Taconi

By RICH ADAMS

Frank Taconi, recently retired Bay St. Louis postmaster, said a proposed nine-digit zip code will "probably not go into effect for quite a few years."

Taconi is a native and lifelong resident of Bay St. Louis. He began at the Bay post office 33 years ago and assumed duties of postmaster in 1975.

He and his wife reside at 415 1/2 St. John Street in Bay St. Louis.

Taconi said the new process is designed to expedite delivery but will not go into effect for some time.

He said the nine-digit system will be added in such a way that central distribution offices will be able to sort the mail before it is transported to smaller, local post offices.

He anticipates a manpower reduction in smaller post offices to accompany the new service, the employees being transferred to larger central distribution offices to assist in pre-sorting.

Taconi said many changes in the postal service have occurred during his 33 years of employment with the agency.

"The two major changes that have taken place are in the different types of mail and mail transportation," Taconi said.

"Today the postal service offers mail-a-grams and express mail," he said.

"The postal service has devised methods to speed up delivery," he continued.

He mentioned a service being developed by the postal agency which will allow mail sent from one city on the coast to arrive at another city on the coast that same day.

Taconi also said means of transporting and delivering mail have improved over the years.

"When I was a city mail carrier 33 years ago I delivered mail from a horse and buggy," he recalled.

"Trains were used to transport mail also," he added.

He said another noticeable change in the postal ranks has been a reduction in manpower since the postal service became a private institution with federal support in 1975.

He said jobs are not available due to mechanization of duties formerly performed by hand.

Taconi also said postal patrons will not have to worry about increased postal rates in the near future.

"Congress will not allow another increase in stamp prices," he explained.

Now that he has retired, Taconi said he plans on "taking it easy and fishing."

"I am just going to take it easy for a while, try to get a little fishing in," he said.

"I am now a member of the 'Honey-do crew'...my wife says 'honey, do this, and I do it,'" he explained.

He and his wife also plan to visit other states and sightsee, a luxury his job as postmaster would not allow.

"I just never had the time...my job tied me down," he said.

Trustee Election...

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election will be held between 2 and 5 p.m. March 3, with location of the voting place to be assigned by the School Board at its regular meeting Monday, Jan. 8.

McCullouch said all interested candidates must file with his office on or before Jan. 19 in order to comply with the following regulations:

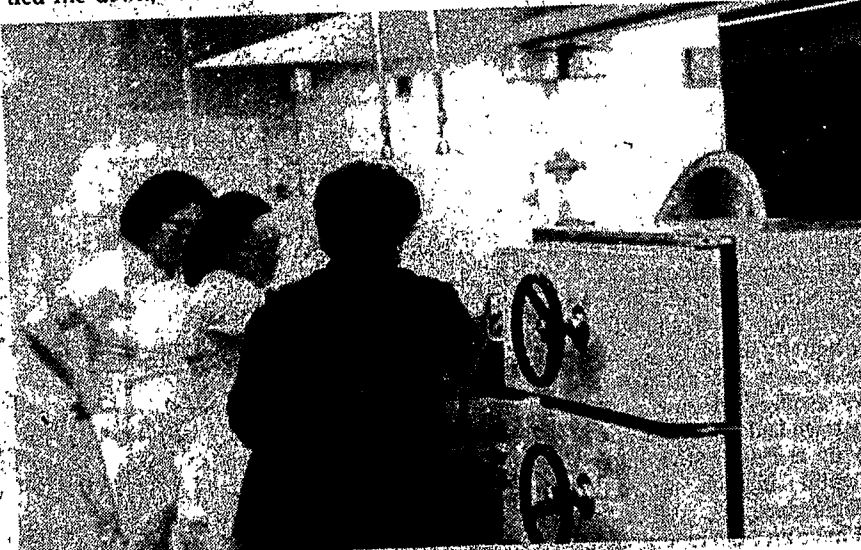
A candidate for the office of school trustee must file with the City Superintendent of Education at least forty (40) days before the election his petition to run.

"Such petition must contain the signatures of at least twenty-five (25) qualified electors who are bona fide residents of the school district or territory to be represented and an affidavit by the candidate certifying that all signatures are the personal signatures of each person whose name appears on the petition and that each person is a qualified elector.

"The candidate must also present an affidavit stating that he or she is a qualified elector and a bona fide resident of the school district or territory to be represented. (Section 37-211, Mississippi Code of 1972, annotated, amended by 1977 Regular Session of the Legislature.)"

The Sea Coast Echo welcomes comments from its readers on subjects of general public interest. All letters must be signed, home address given and conform to published standards of brief, in good taste and reason.

Ellis Cuevas



NEW CAFETERIA—Food Service Supervisor Lillian Blaise, right, watches as cafeteria workers prepare lunch at the newly opened food-services facility at Bay St. Louis Junior High School. The dining room opened Wednesday after months of delay awaiting kitchen equipment. (Staff photo-Rich Adams)

Junior High food facility opens

By RICH ADAMS

After months of delay awaiting delivery of kitchen equipment, the Bay St. Louis Junior High School cafeteria opened and began serving lunches Wednesday.

The new dining facility, built at a cost of \$214,000 in local and state funds, will serve more students and be less crowded than the old cafeteria located inside the school, according to Cafeteria Supervisor Lillian Blaise.

According to Ms. Blaise, the new facility will seat 240 children at one serving and is less crowded than the old cafeteria.

She said the six kitchen employees at the food-services facility will be using

modernized equipment.

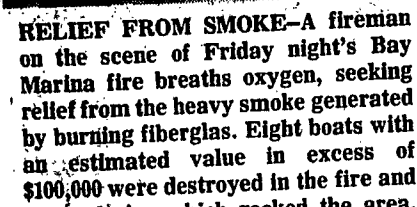
Ms. Blaise added the facility might offer both hot and cold lunch lines in the future.

She said two serving lines in the new building have improved conditions during the lunch period, when the old cafeteria was usually extremely noisy and crowded.

Bay St. Louis School Superintendent J. D. McCullouch said he is pleased with the new lunchroom.

Construction on the new building began little more than a year ago, he said.

Completion was delayed, explained McCullouch, because of equipment



RELIEF FROM SMOKE—A fireman on the scene of Friday night's Bay Marina fire breathes oxygen, seeking relief from the heavy smoke generated by burning fiberglass. Eight boats with an estimated value in excess of \$100,000 were destroyed in the fire and an explosion which rocked the area.

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were burning.

Geiger said eight boats and nine trailers were destroyed. "I couldn't even guess the amount in total damages," he added.

An unofficial estimate Saturday morning placed damages in the area of \$150,000.

Pointing a finger to the charred remains of a Wellcraft boat and trailer later Friday night, Geiger said, "I'd say that one was worth about \$30,000, and that sailboat next to it is probably valued between \$25,000 and \$30,000."

"That" was a \$3,000 boat and trailer over there," Geiger added in observing the little that was left of another craft.

The marina was crowded with fire engines, tankers, firemen and police who responded to the alarm.

Units and firefighters came from Bay St. Louis, Waveland, Diamondhead, East Hancock, Clermont Harbor, Pass Christian and BaySide Park Fire Departments; Bay St. Louis, Waveland and Pass Christian Police Departments; Hancock County Sheriff's Department, and Mississippi Highway Patrol.

The East Hancock Volunteer Fire Department, in which district the marina is located, was busy with another fire on Longfellow Road when the marina explosion occurred, according to that department's chief, Jay Marsh.

"Losses would have been much greater and a lot more boats destroyed if it hadn't been for the fast work of firemen and volunteers in moving boats which were adjacent to those already burning," Geiger pointed out.

In addition, Clermont Harbor and Kilm Volunteer Fire Departments were on standby alert.

Waveland Fire Chief Kenneth Fayard said an offer of assistance was also received from the NASA Fire Department.

"Our mutual aid agreements among area fire departments is what brings in this wealth of assistance when we have a major fire like this," Fayard explained.

Chief Deputy Ronnie Peterson and Deputy Delbert Seay of the Hancock County Sheriff's Department and State Fire Marshal Norman Cowart of Wiggins were at the scene Saturday, searching for clues to the origin of the fire and explosion.

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'Last minute' project reveals true Christmas spirit for Jaycees



LAST MINUTE PROJECT—Charley Barrack, second from right, tells Jaycees, left to right, Charlie Oliver, Nick Rauxet and Larry Fayard, about a needy family in Pearlington.

By WAYNE DUCOMB
Jaycee P.R. Chm.
The Bay St. Louis Jaycees were busily working on community involvement projects over the Christmas holidays.

Two projects were scheduled annual events, but another project was initiated at the "last minute." In an effort to assist the Hancock County Sheriff's Department. A Christmas party complete with gifts from Santa Claus and refreshments for 17 children at the Silver Creek Day Care School was sponsored by the Christmas Party committee headed by Mike Council, the project chairman. At noon Tuesday, Dec. 19, Santa Claus arrived at the school aboard the Kiln Volunteer Fire Department truck driven by Bill Callahan, volunteer fireman.

Santa's number one fan was Carl J. Thomas. Mike Council, project chairman said, "The children had an opportunity to talk with Santa Claus, received gifts and were treated to cake and punch."

Friday night, Dec. 22, the Christmas basket committee, chaired by Larry Fayard, delivered 16 bags of food to needy single senior citizens in southern Hancock County.

Fayard stated, "With the help of the Hancock County Senior Citizens Center and with suggestions from Jaycee members, we selected several elderly people who lived alone and would have had a great deal of difficulty getting what they would need for a big Christmas dinner."



"We would have liked to deliver more baskets, but we did what we could with available funds," Fayard added.

While Charley Barrack, committee member, was trying to locate senior citizens for Christmas baskets through the Hancock County Sheriff's office, he was informed about a family in Pearlington area that had several children, no money and lived in a two room "tar paper shack" which was "poorly heated."

That night and the following day, Barrack worked with the Hancock County Sheriff's Department, the Hancock County Emergency Relief Fund, the Fireman's Toy and Doll Fund and Waveland Resort Inn to help the poor family.

As a result of these efforts, the family was provided with two hotel rooms for a few nights, money for food, a Christmas tree and toys for the children.

Charley Barrack, who chaired the "Last Minute Project," stated, "I would like to thank Mike Council, Jay Rutledge and the other of the Jaycees who assisted greatly in this project. I'm sure it helped all of them realize the true meaning of Christmas."

Merchants making contributions to support the Bay St. Louis Jaycee's Christmas projects were Hancock Bank, Merchants Bank, Gulf National Bank, General Homes, Breath's Boats and Motors, Industrial Ready Mix, Mike Council State Farm Insurance, Winn Dixie,

Waveland Resort Inn, Danny's Fried Chicken, Mrs. Inez Favre, Leo W. Seal, Jr., and a local accounting firm. Jaycees assisting Christmas Party Chairman, Mike Council were Larry Fayard, Charlie Oliver, Charley Barrack, and Wayne Ducomb. The Christmas Basket Committee members were Gerry Collins, Charley Barrack, Charlie Oliver, Nick Rauxet, Bill Hoffman, Mike Council, Jay Rutledge and Charley Oliver.

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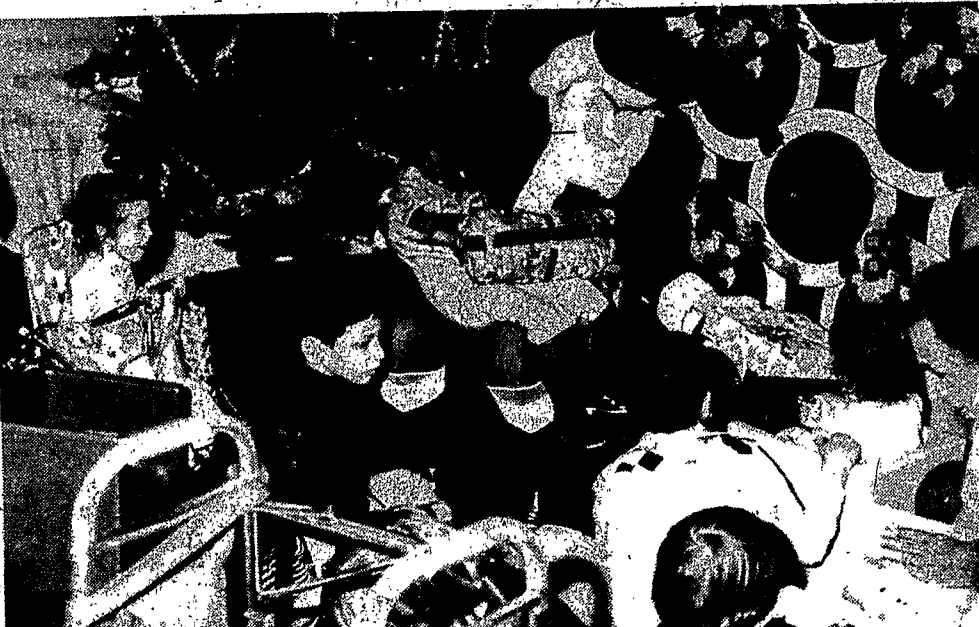
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AMAZED CHILDREN - Santa Claus tells the children at the school tales of his reindeer and sleigh, as they listen in amazement.



SANTA, I WANT - Children from the Day Care School gathered around to tell Santa Claus (Mr. Carl J. Thomas, Sr.) what they want for Christmas. (Photo by Wayne Ducomb, Jr.)



PRESENTS FOR ALL - Christmas presents are handed to all the children by Santa Claus.



BAGS OF GOODIES - Jaycees (left to right) Charlie Oliver, Mike Council, Larry Fayard and Nick Rauxet head into the night with bags of food for south Hancock County senior citizens. (Photo by Wayne Ducomb, Jr.)

Lung Association suggests New Year's vows

Still struggling with your New Year's Resolution? The Mississippi Lung Association suggests if you smoke, you may wish to "Remember When...and Kick the Habit." Remember When...cigarette cartons were the perfect Christmas gift? When...cigarette jingles flooded the radio and clouds of smoke were seen in all movies and TV shows? When...airlines passed out free cigarettes and a doctor might offer patients a cigarette to help calm their nerves? When...a pack of cigarettes cost a quarter and people bought them for rich, strong flavor instead of low tar and nicotine levels?

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The Mississippi Lung Association suggests you list all the reasons why you want to quit, make your resolution of quit smoking, set a target date, and don't let anything change that date.

Other tips include: Remove all reminders such as ashtrays, lighters and matches; think of the many positive aspects of not smoking such as money saved, better breathing and better health; keep chewing gum, fruit or low cal candy handy; start a modest exercise regimen; drink more water or low-cal drinks and naps and get plenty of rest to avoid fatigue.

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Legal Notices

BIDS WANTED
Notice is hereby given that bids will be received in the office of the Administrator, Hancock General Hospital, Bay St. Louis, Miss., until 2:30 p.m., Jan. 16, 1979, for one full size anesthesiologist with the capabilities of delivering oxygen, nitrous oxide, and cyclopropane anesthesia. Specifications for the above may be obtained from the office of the Purchasing Agent, Hancock General Hospital, upon request. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. The Board reserves the right to accept the lowest best bid. Opening of the bids will be 7:30 p.m., Jan. 16, 1979.

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Obituaries

MISS RITA CHARLOT
A Mass for Miss Rita Charlot was celebrated Friday at Our Mother of Mercy Catholic Church in Pass Christian.
She was buried Saturday in St. Paul's Cemetery at Pass Christian.

Miss Charlot, 83, a lifelong resident of Pass Christian, died Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1979 at her home, 516 East Second Street, Pass Christian.
She is survived by a sister, Regina Charlot of Pass Christian.

Lockett's Mortuary in Gulfport was in charge of arrangements.

ANTHONY J. 'TUGA' GLOVER

Anthony James (Tuga) Glover, 65, 125 Garden Road, River Ridge, La., died at his residence at 3 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 4, 1979.

A native of Bay St. Louis, Glover was a resident of River Ridge for the last 40 years. He was the son of the late Harry C. Glover and Lucretia Matrangola Glover of Bay St. Louis.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Verdie Brown Glover; five daughters, Mrs. Kenneth (Janie) Veneralla, Mrs. Merle

(Carol) Ward, Mrs. George (Susan) Franco Jr., Anne Glover and Gayle Glover, all of Orleans Parish; three brothers, David Glover and Joseph Glover, both of Metairie, La. and J. Cyril Glover of Bay St. Louis, and one grandchild.

Jacob Schoen Funeral Home in New Orleans was in charge of arrangements. Burial was in Metairie Cemetery.

BROTHER ALBAN TUCKER
Brother Alban Tucker, S.C., a brother of the Sacred Heart, died Thursday, Jan. 4, 1979, at 7:30 p.m. at St. Stanislaus, Bay St. Louis.

He was 65. He was born Aug. 31, 1913. He is survived by a brother A.A. Tucker, Baton Rouge, La.

Visitation was held Friday and Saturday at the St. Stanislaus Chapel in Bay St. Louis.

A Requiem Mass was celebrated, followed by burial in the Brothers Cemetery in Bay St. Louis.

Edmond Fahey Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mistrust...

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president, "I would like to have one Black as one of my appointees, because there are many Black residents in my Beat.

The Board also announced plans for spending the \$611,000 it has in oil lease monies.

At Hancock North Central, \$275,000 is allocated for six classrooms, an administration area and a library for the elementary wing.

Also at HNC, \$100,000 will be spent for new roofs in addition to \$25,000 for new restrooms in the cafeteria.

Three classrooms and a library will be constructed at Gulfview School at a cost of \$100,000 for the approximately 4,000 square feet of construction.

At the Charles B. Murphy School, \$100,000 will be spent to construct three classrooms and a library and \$20,000 will be used to add toilet rooms to the north wing of the school.

Cost estimates for these repairs, additions and renovations to the Hancock County School District total \$620,000.

Superintendent Randolph said the money will be used for the above projects regardless of outcome of the Jan. 27 bond issue election.

Randolph also suggested the board write a letter to the Mississippi Assistant Superintendent of Education asking the educator to allow Charles B. Murphy School, Gulfview School and Hancock North Central to exceed the 27-pupil limit per classroom.

He said approximately 14 classrooms in the school system are currently housing more than the prescribed limit.

At the recess meeting Friday, the board re-elected Woodrow Ladner to serve as president, and named Beat Five Member Johnny Banks as vice-president for the upcoming year.

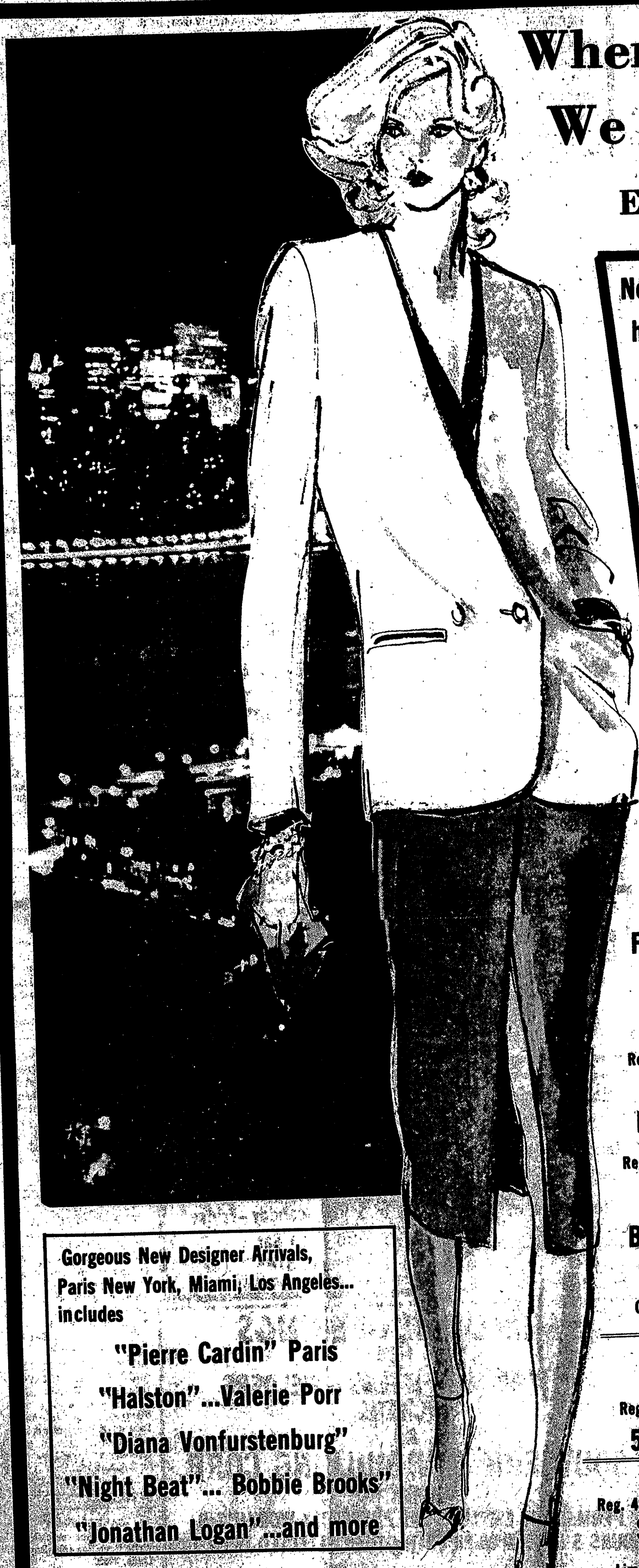
In addition, the board changed its regular meeting schedule from the first Monday in each month at 6 p.m. to the first Monday of each month at 9 a.m.

Beat Three Board member Louie Ladner voted against the change, saying, "This change in time is not in the best interest of the public—how is the public supposed to attend a morning meeting when most of them work during the mornings."

Beat One Board Member Oris Ladner suggested the change, stating the 9 a.m. time is more convenient for the board members.



AWAITING LUNCH—Waiting lunch at the new food services facility at Bay St. Louis Junior High are, from left, Jeff Jordan, Mike Barbetta, Bay St. Louis School Superintendent J.D. McCullough, and Alan Chazex. The new cafeteria, which has two serving lines and a seating capacity of 240 students, opened Wednesday. (Staff photo—Rich Adams)



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Bourgeois, Hamm united in ecumenical service

Miss Renee Ann Bourgeois, daughter of Lt. Col. (Ret.) and Mrs. Randolph C. Bourgeois of Bay St. Louis, became the bride of Michael Joe Hamm, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Hamm of Gulfport, in an afternoon ceremony Sunday, December 17, in Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church.

Rev. Louis Lohan, associate pastor of Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church, and Rev. Nathan Barber, pastor Main Street First Baptist Church, officiated at the double ring ceremony. The altar was flanked by Scotch pine trees decorated with white doves; a spray of white poinsettias and variegated holly cascading from candelabra completed the altar decorations.

Nuptial music was provided by Mrs. John McKenna, organist, and Mrs. Lana Noonan and Miss Mary Ann Kyle, soloists.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of ivory delustered satin fashioned with pearls and re-embroidered Alencon lace with appliques featured on the circular skirt which formed a chapel length train. Her veil of illusion, edged in matching lace, fell from a headpiece of lace re-embroidered in seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of candlelight China silk roses.

The bride was attended by Miss Diane Matthews of Springfield, Va., as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Terry Lovretich of New Orleans, cousin of the bride, Mrs. William Stechmann, Bay St. Louis, and Miss Susan Hall of Surry, Va.

They were toffee-colored quiana gowns fashioned with crocheted blouson tops and carried bouquets of burgundy China silk roses.

John Necaise of Kiln, attended the groom as best man. Groomsmen were Timothy R. Bourgeois, brother of the bride, William Stechmann and Rick Rotundo, all of Bay St. Louis. Randall W. Bourgeois, Davidsonville, Md., brother of the bride, served as usher. The mother of the bride wore a floor length beige chiffon gown, and the mother of the groom wore a long peach chiffon dress. Both mothers wore orchid corsages.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at Bay-Waveland Yacht Club. Misses Patricia and Diane Sager of New Orleans, cousins of the bride, presided at the cake and punch tables; and Mrs. Thomas Hitchcock, Bay St. Louis, presided at the guest register.

Following a wedding trip to Orlando, Fla., the couple will reside in Bay St. Louis.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ken Marsteller, Beaumont, Tex.; Mrs. Barbara Matthews, Springfield, Va.; Mark Goodin, Suffolk, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Runnels, Mobile, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Brooks, Dauphin, Ala.; and Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Grantham, Miss Rosa Ravenick, Livingston, La., and Mrs. Beza Sartwell, Baton Rouge, La.



MR. AND MRS. MICHAEL HAMM (Photo by Bob Hubbard)

State Garden Clubs tell January planting hints

By MRS. C.H. WOOD
Horticulture Chairman
Garden Clubs of Miss.

January is a cold, wet, disagreeable month for gardeners. You will have to pick favorable days for the things that have to be done.

For help in choosing plants for spring planting send for the new free seed catalogs. Catalogs let you see what the choices are and introduce and describe new items. Lose no time in sending your seed orders.

Don't delay planting your live Christmas tree. Many trees sold as living Christmas trees can tolerate the heat and dryness of homes for two or three weeks, but none can be considered an indoor plant.

Continue to plant or transplant bare root roses, shrubs, ornamental trees and fruit trees; also balled and burlapped evergreens of all kinds.

Azaleas and camellias may be planted now also; you do not have to wait until they are in bloom. They will go into their first season with a much better root system if planted early.

However, if you do not know what you want, you had better

wait and see the plants in bloom before buying.

Use a dormant oil spray now or next month on fruit trees as well as ornamental trees and shrubs that are infested with scale insects and aphid and mite eggs. For best results, spray when daytime temperatures are between 40 and 70 degrees.

To protect a newly transplanted tree, tie it loosely to a well-anchored stake before the spring winds have a chance to blow it off-center and disturb the newly developing root system. Wrap the trunk with tree-wrap paper to prevent insect infestation and sunscald damage.

Most houseplants need weekly watering and monthly fertilizing during winter. Provide good light and keep plants out of drafts. Spray the foliage of kinds that are not very hairy with clear water from an atomizer syringe once or twice a day.

If you potted bulbs last fall, now's the time to bring them indoors to force them into bloom. Place pots in a window that receives direct sunlight for at least a few hours each day. Allow soil to dry partially between waterings.

Spring flowering shrubs and trees can be enjoyed even in the middle of winter. Branches of Forsythia, quince, pussy willow, spirea and crabapple are easy to force into bloom by bringing them into a warm room.

Crush the base of the stem with a hammer and place in a vase of warm water. Change water every four to six days. Forcing time will usually be from one to two weeks.

When conditions permit, prepare flowerbeds for later planting. Turn soil deeply, and add humus or peat moss and liberal amounts of well-rotted manure. Winter rains will soak the soil and get it in better condition for good plant growth in the spring.

Clean and oil your garden tools in preparation for spring activity. Remove rust with sandpaper and wipe all metal parts with oil.

NATIONAL ABA LAW DAY

A professor of law at the University of Mississippi has been appointed chairman of the American Bar Association, Young Lawyers Division, Law Day U.S.A. Committee for 1979. Guthrie T. Abbott will work with state and local bar associations around the country in planning observance of Law Day, scheduled for May 1 each year.



Shirley Robinson is Hancock's new Extension Home Economist

By EDGAR PEREZ
Hancock County Extension Home Economist Shirley C. Robinson reports a tatting workshop is planned in Extension Auditorium on Necaise Street, Bay St. Louis, at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday.

Mrs. Robinson, replacing Mrs. Norine Barnes who is now an Extension consumer agent for the county area of Hancock, Harrison and Stone, assumed her duties here Jan. 2.

In addition, Mrs. Robinson presided last week at officer installation ceremonies for the Leadership Training Council. Installed at the 12:30 p.m. Thursday ceremonies are Tuleter Oliver, president;

Peggy Alkire, vice president; Sue Hale, secretary; Mary Beth Dickey, treasurer; and Lydia Phillips, parliamentarian.

A 1972 graduate in home economics from Alcorn A&M, Mrs. Robinson also holds a BS degree in agriculture from Alcorn which she took in 1975. She is a native of Scott County and graduate of E. J. Hawkins High School in Forest.

She is the daughter of Mrs. Rosa Curry of Forest and is married to Lindsey Robinson, currently a student at Jones Junior College and a member of the Greene County Sheriff's Department.

Robinson plans to continue his studies at University of

Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg, following graduation from Jones Junior, his wife reported.

most for their time and money spent in maintaining their homes, and to help improve their way of life," Mrs.



SHIRLEY E. ROBINSON

Mrs. Robinson, prior to accepting the Hancock County appointment, served from 1976 through 1978 as a 4-H Youth Agent in Greene County.

"We hope, through a series of educational programs, to help the homemakers of Hancock County achieve the

Robinson said. "I'm very happy to be in Hancock County, and I am looking forward to meeting and working with this area's homemakers," she added.

Mrs. Robinson is currently residing in her mobile home at Wheel Inn Trailer Park, US-90, Bay St. Louis.



COCKTAIL TIME—Mr. and Mrs. John McKenna display a cocktail flag hoisted to signify start of a champagne celebration Dec. 31 to announce their daughter's expected baby. The party for the expectant parents, Anthony and Sharon McKenna Ladner, was set at the Joe Pilef residence on Highland Drive in Bay St. Louis. (Staff photo-Rich Adams)

Barnes specializes in family, individual money management

Former Hancock County Extension Home Economist Mrs. Norine Barnes has been appointed Area Consumer Management Specialist with the Mississippi Cooperative Extension Service, according to W.M. Bost, Extension director.

"She will be responsible for developing and implementing a comprehensive program to meet the high priority needs of families in Hancock, Harrison and Jackson Counties," he explained.

Besides planning and conducting workshops and short courses, she will provide individual consultation on money management for interested families and individuals. Dr. Bost continued.

Mrs. Barnes will work with



NORINE BARNES

state and county Extension staff members in a coordinated effort to reach new audiences through the Consumer Money Management Center located in Biloxi.

degree in home economics education and an M.S. degree in home economics, both from the University of Texas, Our Lady of the Lake and the University of Houston.

Before joining the Extension Service in 1973, she taught home economics in Biloxi and at Gulf Coast Junior College.

Mrs. Barnes is a member of the Mississippi Home Economics Association; she has served as chairman of the child development section of the Mississippi group.

A member of the Mississippi Association of Extension Home Economics, she served as chairman of the professional improvement committee and in 1976, was selected as the outstanding home economist with one to three years of service.



HOMEMAKERS COUNCIL—Extension Service District Program Leader Raygene P. Dunlap, left, was installing officer, and Mrs. Shirley C. Robinson, right, Hancock County Extension Home Economist, presided, when new officers of the Hancock County Extension Homemakers Council were installed in ceremonies at Extension Auditorium Thursday.

They are, from left, Mrs. Tuleter Oliver, president; Mrs. Peggy Alkire, vice president; Mrs. Sue Hale, secretary; Mrs. J. Burned, standing in for Mrs. Beth Dickey, treasurer; and Lydia Phillips, parliamentarian. (Staff photo-Lealie Williams)

Echoes

Sister Norma Garcia of Brownsville, Tex., spent the Christmas holidays with her mother Mrs. Ethel Garcia.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kingston had as holiday guests their sons-in-law and daughters Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kundert and children Lisa, Donna and Kristi of Little Rock, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. James Nichols, Harahan, La.; and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas LaFrance and children Tammy and Vince of Slidell. They were joined Christmas Day by their son Paul Kingston of Bay St. Louis.

Gean Cary Junginger of Fort Pierce, Fla., visited over the holidays with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Benigno.

Military Mention

HALL PROMOTED
Maurice Lance Corporal Anderson D. Hall, son of Simuel and Armenta Hall of 371 Clerk Ave., Pass Christian, has been promoted to his present rank while serving with First Marine Division, Camp Pendleton, Calif.

A 1975 graduate of Pass Christian High School, and a 1977 graduate of Prentice Union College, Prentice, Miss., with an Associate of Arts degree, he joined the Marine Corps in November, 1977.



SCELHA ANN SELLE

Scelha Ann Selle marks birthday

Scelha Ann Selle celebrated her seventh birthday with a party at a local restaurant Dec. 17.

Santa Claus was on hand and presented gifts to Scelha and her guests.

Joining in the celebration were her sister Lora and brother Alfred Jr., Kim Hess, Tammy Osterholm, Donna Holmes, Jimmy and Steven Mollohan, Betty Spruce, Hope Necaise, Clarence and Carla Spruce, Theurman Necaise and Hermie Moran.

Also, Phyllis Necaise, Erina Necaise, her uncle Brian Carpenter, Mrs. Carol Hess, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mollohan, Mrs. Debbie Spruce, Clarence Spruce, Michael Necaise and her parents Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Selle Sr.

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This Week

Compiled By Sandra Marquar

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SUNDAY

MAIN STREET UMC

The Main Street United Methodist Church in Bay St. Louis holds Sunday services at 11 a.m. preceded by Sunday School at 10 a.m.

LUTHERAN CHURCH

The Lutheran Church of the Pines, Highway 90, Waveland, Sunday Worship Service, 9 a.m., Sunday School 10 a.m., each Sunday, Rev. John Helmers, Pastor.

MORNING WORSHIP

The First Baptist Church, Christian Witness, Bay St. Louis, Morning Worship on Sundays at 11 a.m., Evening Worship at 7 p.m.

RELIGIOUS EDU.

Religious education programs will be conducted at Kiln Annunciation Catholic Church, and Fenton St. Joseph Catholic Church on Sundays from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. and at White Cypress Infant Jesus of Prague Catholic Church from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

BAPTIST SERVICES

The Bay St. Louis First Baptist Church conducts Sunday School Bible Study Hour at 9:45 a.m. and Morning Worship Hour at 11 a.m. Sundays at the church, Main Street.

MONDAY

TOPS

Take Off Pounds Sensibly meets at 6:30 p.m. Monday at Pass Christian Gulf National Bank.

SENIOR CITIZEN

The Waveland Senior Citizen will meet Monday, January 8, 10 a.m., at the Civic Center.

AMER. LEG.

The American Legion Auxiliary 139 will meet Monday, January 8, 8 p.m. at the Legion Hall.

HISTORIC

The Pass Christian Historic Society will meet Monday, January 8, 8 p.m. at the Library.

TUESDAY

WEIGHT WATCHERS

The Weight Watchers meet every Tuesday, 6 p.m. Main Street Methodist Church. \$10.00 to join and \$4.00 a week. Millie McBride Lecturer.

PASS V.F.W.

The Pass Christian V.F.W. No. 5931 will hold a meeting Tuesday 8 p.m. at the Post Home, Pass Christian.

BIBLE AND PRAYER

The Jesus is The Answer Center holds Bible study and prayer meeting at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday and Saturday at the church.

SENIOR PROGRAM

A senior citizens program entitled "Self Discovery through the Humanities" is conducted weekly at the City-County Library, US-90, Bay St. Louis at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday.

VOL. FIRE

The Henderson Point Pass Christian Volunteer Fire Department will meet Tuesday, January 9, 7 p.m. at the Fire House.

GIRL SCOUT

The Bay-Waveland Girl Scouts will hold their monthly meeting at 9:30 a.m., Monday, January 8 at the Bay St. Louis Library meeting room.

HISTORICAL

The Hancock County Historical Society will meet Monday, January 8, 7:30 at the Gulf National Bank Civic Room.

GARDEN CLUB

The Bay-Waveland Garden Club Board of Director's Meeting is Monday, January 8, 1979, 2 p.m., at the home of Mrs. John H. Cook, 1522 North Beach Blvd., Bay St. Louis.

P.C. ROTARY

The Pass Christian Rotary will meet Tuesday, January 9, 12 noon at Annie's Restaurant.

VFW

The Kiln Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary No. 6285 will meet Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the Post Home.

SAVE THE BAY

Save The Bay will meet Tuesday, January 9, 7:30 p.m. at the Pass Christian Library.

COUNCIL

The Bay St. Louis City Council will meet Tuesday, January 16, 7 p.m. at the City Hall.

PTO

The North Bay Parent Teacher Organization will meet Tuesday, January 9, 7:30 at the Cafeteria.

"THE BIBLE"

Adult religious education program on discovering "The Bible" will be conducted by Father Walsh and Sister Joseph at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Kiln. Annunciation and by brother Bittner at white Cypress Infant Jesus of Prague at 10 a.m.

ST. CLARE

The St. Clare monthly luncheon and Social will meet Wednesday, January 10, 12:30 at the Parish Hall.

VFW

The veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary, Bay St. Louis, 3253 will meet Wednesday, January 10, 8 p.m. at the VFW Hall.

ROTARY

The Bay St. Louis Rotary meeting is held each Wednesday at Noon in Scafield's Wheel Inn, on Hwy 90 Bay St. Louis.

CHOIR

Our Lady of the Gulf Choir practice is held each Wednesday, 7:30, at the church.

CYO

The Bay St. Louis Catholic Youth Organization meeting is each Wednesday, 7 p.m. at the OLG CYO Room.

OVEREATERS

Overeaters Anonymous meets 7 p.m. Wednesday at St. Augustine Seminary, US-90, Bay St. Louis.

WEDNESDAY

JAYCEES

The Waveland Jaycees will meet Wednesday, January 10, 7:30 at the Waveland Civic Center.

VFW

The Bay St. Louis Veterans of Foreign War will meet Wednesday, January 10, 8 p.m., at the VFW Building.

"THE BIBLE"

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BSL JAYCEES

The Bay St. Louis Jaycees meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays at the Gulf National Bank Conference Room, US-90.

BAY BOOSTERS

The Bay High Tiger Booster Club meets at 7 p.m. Wednesdays at the Bay Senior High School cafeteria on Blue Meadow Road, Bay St. Louis.

THURSDAY

HANDCRAFTERS

Clermont Handcrafters will meet at 1 p.m., January 11 in the home of Mrs. H.W. Duke.

GARDEN CLUB

The regular meeting of the Bay-Waveland Garden Club will be held at the Garden Center, 2 p.m. Thursday, January 11, 1979. There will be a Plant Exchange, and members are asked to bring a plant with description and cultivation instructions.

MARTHA GUILD

The Martha Guild will meet Thursday, January 11, 10:30 at Trinity Episcopal Church.

VFW

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary No. 5931 Pass Christian, will meet Thursday, January 11, 7:30 at the post home.

EASTERN STAR

The Eastern Star will meet Thursday, January 11, 7:30, at the Masonic Temple.

LEGION

The American Legion 139 Bay St. Louis, will meet Thursday, January 11, 8 p.m. at the Legion Hall.

CIVIC ASSOC.

The Waveland Civic Association will meet Thursday, January 11, 8:30, at Trapani's Knock-Knock.

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SENIOR ADULT

The Senior Adult Fun and Fellowship group meets every Thursday at First Baptist Church, Bay St. Louis, from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Luncheons included. Anyone 60 years or older is welcome.

SIDELINE CLUB

The Sideline Club will meet today 8 p.m. at the Saint Stanislaus cafeteria.

MARTHA GUILD

The Martha Guild of Trinity Episcopal Church meets at 10:30 a.m. today, Thursday, at the church.

HANCOCK KIWANIS

The South Hancock County Kiwanis Club meets at 7 p.m. Thursdays, at Scafield's Wheel Inn Restaurant.

AA MEETING

Alcoholics Anonymous meets at 8 p.m. Thursdays at St. Augustine's Seminary on US-90, Bay St. Louis. For information, call 467-6414.

STORY HOUR

Children's Story Hour is held at 10 a.m. Thursdays at the City-County Library, US-90, Bay St. Louis.

PRAYER GROUP

The Charismatic prayer group meets every Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in St. Augustine Seminary cafeteria.

RELIGIOUS STUDY

Annunciation Catholic Church, Kiln, conducts Bible study classes at 10 a.m. and adult instructions in faith at 7:30 p.m. Thursdays at the church.

ST. ROSE

St. Rose de Lima gospel choir practice is held at 6 p.m. every Thursday in the Church.

ROSARY

The Rosary is said every Thursday at 7:00 p.m. at the outdoor Shrine of A.C. Mercier at 115 Bay Oaks Dr. Everyone is invited.

LIBRARY

The Hancock City-County Library Storyhour is every Thursday, 10 a.m. at the Library.

"FANTASTICKS"

The play "Fantasticks" will be performed at Minacappell's Cabaret Theatre in Slidell, La. The play opens Friday, January 12, for 5 weeks. Performances will be Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights and Sunday Matinees. Dinner at 6:30 p.m. Showtime at 8:30 p.m. Matinee dinner at 2 p.m. Showtime at 4 p.m.

COOKIES

The Girl Scout Cookie orders will start Friday, January 12. Orders may be placed by contacting Mrs. Diane Ladner, 467-4424.

SATURDAY

COAST GUARD

The Pass Christian Coast Guard Auxiliary will meet Saturday, January 13, 6:30 on the Beach.

COMING EVENTS

HEARING

Bay St. Louis will hold a small City Hearing Tuesday, January 16, 6 p.m. at the City Hall and Monday, January 22, 5 p.m. at the City Hall.



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The best "recipe" for furniture care includes an ounce of precaution, a pound of routine cleaning and one-and-a-half cups of special attention.

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Remove spilled liquids immediately using a blotting rather than a wiping motion. Dust furniture surfaces frequently with a lint-free, slightly moist cloth. A damp cloth helps avoid scratches and reduces static electricity, which attracts and holds dust.

Consider type and condition of wood finish when choosing a wax or polish. Follow recommendations provided by the furniture manufacturer.

Furniture is a major investment, but with proper care it can last a life-time or even for several generations.

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4-H members develop skills in making their surroundings more attractive and comfortable within the limits of family budgets.

Some of last year's national home environment winners reupholstered and refinished furniture, remodeled and redecorated rooms, and researched American period furniture and architecture.

Home environment projects and activities offer 4-H members a variety of opportunities to plan and create pleasant living spaces and to become aware of community housing situations.

4-Hers can also work for awards provided by the S & H Foundation and arranged by National 4-H Council.

Notice

PUBLIC COMMENTS

GULF COAST PROPOSED WASTEWATER FACILITY AND MANAGEMENT PLAN ("208 STUDY")

On Tuesday, January 9, 1979, at 7:30 p.m., the Mississippi Air and Water Pollution Control Commission will conduct a public hearing at the Biloxi Community Center to solicit public testimony concerning the proposed wastewater treatment system for the Gulf Coast. There were some delays in placing the 201-208 Plan in the libraries and many libraries have been closed during the holidays. Because of the limited availability of these documents, the Commission will extend the comment period for one week. Written comments postmarked by January 16, 1979, will be received by this office at the following address: Mississippi Air and Water Pollution Control Commission, P.O. Box 527, Jackson, Mississippi 39205.



NIGHTMARE - On the morning of March 16, 1978, the supertanker Amoco Cadiz went aground off the coast of Brittany pouring its entire cargo - 68 million gallons of Arabian crude oil - into the sea. "Nova" documents this maritime nightmare, its crippling effect on the Bretons and the desperate cleanup attempts on "Black Tide," the premiere program in the new "Nova" season, at 8 p.m., Tuesday, January 9, on the Mississippi ETV Network.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

The City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, is requesting any engineering firm, interested in preparing all needed surveys and applications for the City's Farmer Home Administration, to meet with the City Council on January 9, 1979 at 7:00 P.M. at the Bay St. Louis City Hall. The project includes adequate sewer and water facilities in the city and also improvement of drainage facilities and street repairs. A pre-application of \$10 million has been submitted to FHMA and a detailed engineering survey of the project is now needed before final approval can be obtained. Each engineering firm represented should be prepared to give a resume of their qualifications and previous experience in the above mentioned areas.

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State official offers oil price proposals

In a telegram to William Miller, chairman of the Federal Reserve Board of Governors, Washington, D.C., concerning the recent announcement by OPEC Oil Nation of a price increase on petroleum products, Jim Buck Ross, Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce, offered suggestions aimed at offsetting the price boost. The suggestions include strict enforcement of the fifty-

five miles per hour speed law, sale of petroleum products only on a cash basis, closing all service stations at six p.m. on Saturdays and opening them the following Monday.

The fourth and last suggestion involves placing an embargo on any further environmental restrictions pertaining to the petroleum industry and exertion of an effort to relax some of the current environmental

restrictions which are "expensive and senseless." Ross said he had learned from an executive of the Petroleum Institute that if people paid cash for gas and oil, the companies could lower the price of gasoline from two to three cents per gallon.

In his letter, Ross asked Miller to exert his influence, if he approved of the suggestions, in getting them implemented.

BIRTHS

GREGORY E. ODOM

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn E. Odom of Rt. 1, Box 316, Pass Christian, announce the birth of a son, Gregory Edward Odom, on Dec. 16, 1978, at Gulfport Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds, 9.5 ounces.

Mrs. Odom is the former Mary Ann Necaise.

Maternal grandparents are Lillie Mae Necaise and the late Elvis E. Necaise of Pass Christian.

Paternal grandparents are Viree Odom of Kiln and Charlie Odom of Poplarville.

JENNIFER WILKINSON

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Wilkinson Jr. of Bay St. Louis announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, Jennifer Lynn, December 18, at

Gulfport Memorial Hospital.

She weighed seven pounds, 14 ounces.

Mrs. Wilkinson is the former Linda Bilbo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bilbo Sr. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson Sr., Bay St. Louis.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter J. Peevy

of Baton Rouge, La. announce the birth of their third child and first son, Carl Lester III, December 11, at Providence Hospital, Mobile. He weighed six pounds, 12.5 ounces.

Mrs. Peevy is the former Donata Hoda, daughter of Mrs. Dolores Baumann of Slidell, La., and the late James Hoda.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gipson Sr. of Bay St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurent Necaise of Kiln are the maternal great-grandparents.

PAUL B. PEEVY

Dr. and Mrs. Keith Peevy of Durham, N.C., announce the birth of their second child and second son, Paul Benjamin, December 12 at Duke Medical Center, Durham.

He weighed eight pounds. Mrs. Peevy is the former Dottie Rauch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter V. Rauch of Bay St. Louis. Paternal grandparents are

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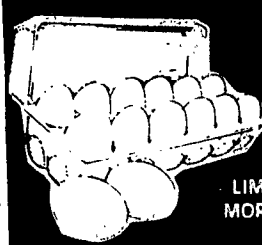
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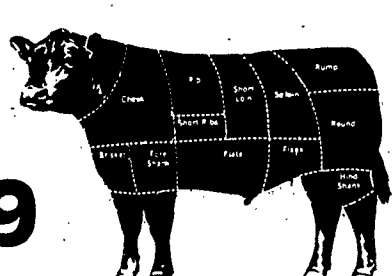
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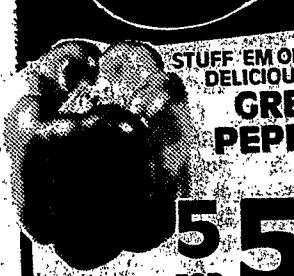
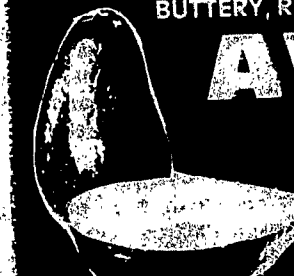
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Delta Agricultural Exposition opens Jan. 30 in Cleveland

The sixth annual Delta Agricultural Exposition in Cleveland Jan. 30-31 is expected to attract several thousand farmers and agribusinessmen, according to Mississippi Cooperative Extension Service officials who sponsor the event.

"This year's exposition will help farmers find answers to some of their problems. We've planned some interesting and informative educational sessions which will be offered repeatedly and simultaneously throughout the two-day event," says George Berry, district agent, Mississippi Cooperative Extension Service.

"Emphasis will be on soybeans, cotton and rice. Farmers will be able to choose

from among several educational sessions which interest them," Berry added. About 100 exhibits, both inside the Exposition Center and on the grounds, will give visitors a chance to learn about the new production methods and the latest equipment.

Free publications will also be distributed, said Dr. George Mullendore, Extension agronomist and chairman of the Expo planning committee.

"The 1979 Expo will also feature a display which will let farmers feed detailed information about their farm-lands into a computer to learn what crops or crop combinations will grow best in specific sites," says Berry. "A computerized display on

commodity markets is also expected to attract a lot of attention," he said.

Begun in 1974, the Delta Expo draws much of its audience from outside the Mississippi Delta.

Last year, registrants came from 43 Mississippi counties, 15 other states and even from Canada.

Wheat Seedlings

WINTER WHEAT

Seeding of winter wheat in Mississippi for harvest in 1979, at 160,000 acres, is 60,000 acres above the previous year. The production forecast, as of December 1, 1978, is 4.0 million bushels. This compares with the 2,015,000 bushels harvested in 1978 from 65,000.

US WHEAT

U.S. farmers seeded 51.5 million acres (20.8 million hectares) of winter wheat in the fall of 1978 for harvest in 1979. That is eight percent greater than last year's 47.7 million acres (19.3 million hectares) but nine percent less than the 1977 acreage.

Growers increased planted acres in all major producing States except Oklahoma and South Dakota where the acreage is unchanged from last year. Only a few minor producing States indicate declines in acreage from last year.

Acreages were increased significantly in most of the soft red winter producing States following last year's sharply reduced plantings.

In the North Central region, acreage changes ranged from a 14 percent decline in Minnesota to a 77 percent increase in Missouri. Kansas, with 12.1 million acres planted, is up to seven percent from a year ago.

Winter wheat acreage changes in the West ranged from a nine percent decline in Utah to a 20 percent increase in Arizona. Of the major

The 1979 Census of Agriculture for the previous year gets underway this week with the mailing of report forms to all farms and ranches in the 50 states, the Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce announced.

Farmers and ranchers are being asked to report on their agricultural operations during 1978.

This 1979 census, the Nation's 21st farm census in a series that started in 1840, will update data most recently obtained in 1975 for 1974 operations.

Information will be sought on all agricultural operations. With report forms for the 1979 census drastically reduced from the 22 pages of the last census, most agricultural operators will receive a four-page form in

the mail, and about 20 percent will receive a five-page version.

The overall time required by farmers to complete the form has been reduced by more than one-third.

The census will continue to monitor trends in domestic ownership and control of land.

The last census showed a five-year gain in the number of U.S. corporate farms from 22,000 to 29,000; the amount of acreage they farmed rose from \$6 billion to \$14 billion.

The census asks whether the farm is operated by a family or individual, a partnership, a family-held corporation, an investor-owned corporation with more than 10 stockholders, or some other legal entity such as cooperative, estate or trust, grazing association, etc.

The apparent increase in foreign ownership of land has raised questions in the Congress and with business and agricultural groups.

In 1974, a Department of Commerce survey showed about 5 million acres of the Nation's one billion acres of farm land were owned by foreign interests, or less than one-half of one percent of the total. The new farm census will measure the increase.

As in earlier censuses, information obtained about farming operations will be published for each of more than 3,000 counties with agricultural operations, for each State and for the entire Nation.

Each report form will have a control number printed on the address label. Because response is required by law

(Title 13, U.S. Code), each control number must be accounted for by the Bureau of the Census. Following letters will be sent to non-respondents.

Everyone who receives the agriculture census report form should answer the first four items and as much more of the report as applies, and return it, so that it will not be necessary to spend more tax money on obtaining a response.

Despite careful screening of the mailing lists used, some persons not engaged in agricultural activities will receive report forms. Those persons should return the form with that fact noted in order to stop additional mailings.

The 1979 Census of Agriculture will be conducted as follows:

- All respondents will be asked to report either from their records or by estimate, the following information:

- Amount of farm acreage by type of ownership; land use; acreage, production, and sales of crops; inventory, number sold, and sales value of livestock and poultry; and selected characteristics of farm operators and farm management.

- About 20 percent will receive an additional page seeking answers to: value of land and buildings; selected production expenses; selected farm equipment; hired farm labor; fertilizer and pesticide use; and petroleum fuel usage and storage capacity.

Congress and Federal agencies, as well as agricultural and business organizations, universities and other groups rely on this information to develop and revise farm programs.

Individual farmers may benefit from a railroad allocating storage cars during

grain harvest, or from farm machinery or bulk fertilizer dealerships being located in new areas of farm development.

Strengthening that publication of its data will be accomplished more speedily in this census, officials are setting October, 1979 as the beginning data issuance deadline for more than 3,000 individual counties.

They expect to publish the additional volumes of statistical information for the State and Nation within the following two years.

Census officials also point to these features of the 1978 census:

- A second copy of the report form which the respondent can complete and keep for his own records.

- The option of receiving major county data merely by checking a box on the form.

- A time extension which will be granted farmers who request it.

- An improved mailing list, and a "Were You Counted," campaign for any farmer inadvertently omitted.

The law, which requires farmers to answer the census items also protects the privacy of answers. Since 1900, census report forms have been confidential by law.

They may be seen only by sworn Census employees and may be used only for statistical totals. Even other government agencies cannot obtain or use the reports made by any farm operator.

Neither can anyone use legal means to obtain a copy of the report retained by the operator in his files.

Farm operators who do not receive a form during the first week of January should request one from the Bureau of the Census, 1201 East 10th Street, Jeffersonville, Indiana 47132.



THINKING ABOUT GOALS

We all remember the old story of the small boy with a bow and arrow standing by a fence with targets painted on the fence and an arrow in every bull's eye. When asked how he became such an expert archer, he replied, "It's easy. I shoot first and then draw the target."

We're starting a new 4-H year. We recruit members, plan programs, elect officers, finish up last year with achievement and recognition events, present awards, pass out project literature and on and on.

These are the activities of the past few weeks. What's the purpose of all this?

I was reminded recently how easy it is to set goals early, work toward them and reach the goal.

I also had to admit that some people seem to get all mixed up and switch goals or perhaps let methods become goals. It's called switching the means and the ends.

An example or two make our point: A leader told me of the first-year member from her club who was at the fair having a fine learning experience participating as a member of a judging team. Normally this 4-H'er would not be at the fair or even be in

4-H because the club has a long-standing rule that everyone must join the club in September or wait a year.

However, the leader had taken this girl into the club in the spring and, through hard work and with help from leader and parents, the youngster had achieved.

The leader was re-orienting goals from the old "every youngster need a full year of 4-H" to one of "some 4-H for this youngster is better than one in 1978."

Another example was the adult busily working on one of the 4-H livestock exhibits with no youth in sight. I suppose the goal was to have a well fitted animal in the ring. I thought the more appropriate goal would be to have a boy or a girl learn how to fit an animal for a show and, through that experience, learn more about himself or herself and livestock.

All of us in 4-H must continually ask if we have a clear legitimate goal and if our methods are, in fact, helping to reach the goal.

I believe 4-H is designed to help youth learn. It helps them learn about themselves, learn some skills and gain attitudes useful throughout life.

How does 4-H in your family, community and county measure up?

MISSISSIPPI WEEKLY WEATHER & CROP REPORT

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TRENDS CONTINUE

NOTE:

Two series of estimates of farm numbers and land in farms are shown in this report. The series are identified as "Old Definition" and "New Definition". The "New Definition" of a farm includes places which had annual sales of agricultural products of \$1,000 or more. This definition is also being used by the Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, for the 1979 Census of Agriculture.

The "Old Definition" of a farm included places of 10 or more acres that had annual sales of agricultural products of \$50 or more and places of less than 10 acres that had annual sales of \$250 or more.

STATE FARMS - In Mississippi there were 36,000 farms in 1978 which had annual sales of agricultural products of \$1,000 or more compared with 61,000 farms a year earlier, a decline of 8 percent. The preliminary 1979 estimate is 53,000 farms.

The change in farm definition reduced the number of farms by 27 percent for 1978, and reduced land in

farms by 9 percent, but the average size of farms increased 11 percent under the new definition.

UNITED STATES

There were 2.37 million farms in the United States in 1978 which had annual sales of agricultural products of \$1,000 or more compared with 2.41 million farms a year earlier, a decline of 2 percent. In 1976 and 1975, the estimated number of farms was 2.45 million and 2.49 million, respectively. The 1979 preliminary estimate of farm numbers is 2.33 million.

Total land in farms for 1978 was 1,052 million acres, slightly less than the 1,055 million acres estimated for 1977. Land in farms having \$1,000 sales of agricultural products in 1978 and 1975 was 1,059 million and 1,063 million acres, respectively. The preliminary estimate for 1979 is 1,049 million acres.

The change in farm definition reduced the number of farms by 11 percent for 1978. Differences between old and new definitions in 1978, 1977, 1976, and 1975 were 302 thousand, 297 thousand, 284 thousand, and 278 thousand, respectively. Land in farms estimates were reduced about 2 percent under the new definition.

WINTER GRAZING

With the late stands of winter grazing this fall, it is especially important that you fertilize these crops adequately. Nitrogen is the "grass growing element" and also, determines the protein content of forage.

The higher the forage nitrogen content, the higher the crude protein value of the forage.

Ryegrass and small grains can use up to one pound of nitrogen per acre for each day's grazing. This means that the grazing can use about 30 pounds of nitrogen or 100 pounds of ammonium nitrate each month.

Crops fertilized every two months will need about 200 pounds of ammonium nitrate or 150 pounds of urea. The last application should be applied in March.

You should not use urea on winter grazing crops on newly limed soils that have not received a good rain or when soil temperatures are less than 40 degrees.

CONTROL GRAZE - The drought conditions that occurred this fall has most winter pastures at least four weeks late.

This will probably make control (limited) grazing for

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brood cows necessary, especially where early winter calving is practiced.

A control grazing program will allow all cows with calves to get some grass.

If calves are to get a good start and cows rebreed quickly, good nutrition must be maintained.

A cow with a young calf can be satisfactorily wintered with one filling or about three hours partial feeding of fair quality hay.

Leaving cattle on grazing area only long enough to get a fill reduces trampling and manure contamination.

Delay turning on grazing until frost or ice has melted off grass. This will also substantially reduce trampling damage.

Control grazing will produce the most efficient use of forage and cows do not gain weight on this expensive food, as they often do when grazes full-time.

Grazing should be started when grass is 6 to 8 inches tall.

Due to the varying moisture conditions this fall, many fields have grass from 4 to 12 inches tall.

In this situation, the cattle will often prefer to graze the short young grass so it will be desirable to drive cattle to tallest areas of grass.

When cattle learn that the grazing time is limited they can be made to graze selected areas with little trouble.

Under average growing conditions one acre of well fertilized winter pasture on prepared seedbed will provide ample forage for grazing two

cows and their calves for 3 hours daily.

Overseeded ryegrass will probably not provide this amount of grazing until at least mid-January depending on the overseeding method and fertilizer applied.

However, some ryegrass seeded into standing soybeans and nitrated immediately following harvest is growing extremely well and will provide grazing very soon.

Provide creep gates or holes in the fence to give calves full-time access to grazing. Dry cows must be separated from cows with calves as dry cows will gain weight on this program. Wet cows should be the first animals placed on grazing and dry cows the last.

A year round, calving program makes it very hard to manage grazing so that the dry cows does not get overgrazed and the wet cows undergrazed.

Cows and particularly heifers that are near calving must be held off grazing until they calve and are straightened out.

Calving on wintergrazing can cause oversized calves and excessive early stimulation of milk production causing calf losses from scours and other digestive disorders.

Animal scientists recommend maintaining brood cows prior to calving on good quality hay or silage along with an energy and protein supplement, if needed, to balance their nutritional requirements. Then after calving, when calf can handle milk produced, go to winter

KITCHEN & GARDEN NOTEBOOK

ORANGE PEEL MARMALADE: NO WASTE, GREAT TASTE

Oranges are a popular item this time of year. If you plan to use a lot of them for holiday cooking, punches or as snacks, save the peels. The home economists at the Ball Corporation have created a new recipe for this season which makes good use of the orange peels by turning them into a tasty marmalade.

Once you've converted orange peels to marmalade, don't stop the magic. Orange peel marmalade is great on muffins and toast, but it's also wonderful in an omelet, or melted and served as an ice cream sauce, or used as a crepe filling. When you're icing a cake, use the marmalade between the center layers, or for that matter, top a pound cake with melted marmalade and powdered sugar, or use it as a glaze for duck or ham.

ORANGE PEEL MARMALADE

To Prepare Peels: 1. Peel 6 oranges from about 6 oranges. 2. Juice 2 medium lemons. 3. 2 1/2 cups water. 4. 1/8 teaspoon soda. 5. 1 cup sugar.

Step 1—Cut peels in quarters, lay flat on board; scrape off and discard about 1/2 of white part. Step 2—Put remaining rind through food chopper twice. Step 3—Add other ingredients; bring to a boil and simmer.



covered, 30 minutes, stirring occasionally. Step 4—Measure. This should make 3 1/2 cups; if not, add enough water to complete measurement.

To Cook Marmalade: 3 1/2 cups (1 1/4 lbs.) prepared fruit peels

1 box powdered fruit pectin, 2 cups sugar Or 1 1/4 cups sugar and 1 1/4 cups white corn syrup

Step 1—Mix prepared peel and pectin in a preserving kettle.

Step 2—Bring quickly to a hard boil, stirring constantly.

Step 3—Immediately add sugar, stirring constantly. Continue stirring; bring again to a boil and boil hard two minutes.

Step 4—Remove marmalade from heat; skin and pour quickly into hot jars, leaving 1/4-inch head space. Adjust caps. Process 15 minutes in boiling water bath.

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